

1 The Honorable Ricardo S. Martinez
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11 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
12 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
13 AT SEATTLE
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16 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
17 Plaintiff,
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19 v.
20 LESLIE REDD III,
21 Defendant.
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24 NO. CR21-0037RSM
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27 **ORDER**
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30 THE COURT has considered the joint motion to proceed with guilty plea by video
31 or telephonic hearing, along with all the records and files in this case and the General
32 Orders currently in effect.
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34 THE COURT FINDS that the circumstances are as set forth in the parties' motion
35 and that a video or telephonic guilty plea hearing may take place as soon as practical,
36 because further delays in this case would cause "serious harm to the interests of justice,"
37 *see* General Order No. 04-20 (extended by General Order 17-20), for the reasons set forth
38 in the parties' joint motion. Accordingly,

39 THE COURT ORDERS that the parties may proceed with a plea hearing by
40 telephone and/or video conference, consistent with current procedures established by this
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1 Court, and directs the parties to consult with one another and the Court to schedule such a
2 hearing at a mutually acceptable date and time.
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4 DONE this 3rd day of March, 2021.
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8 RICARDO S. MARTINEZ
9 CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
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